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CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF **DEAN OF THE FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**

November 18, 1996 — The Advisory Search Committee for a Dean of the Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science has selected a short list of three candidates for the position of Dean of the Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science.

The following candidates will address the Council of the Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science on Thursday, 5 December 1996 in a meeting to begin at 9:00 a.m. The session will take place in the J.A. DeSève Cinema, 1400 de Maisonneuve Blvd. West. All members of the Engineering and Computer Science Faculty and all members of the Concordia University community are welcome to attend. Speaking privileges will be restricted to Council members and designated staff representatives from units within the Faculty. The candidates will be presented in alphabetical order.

M. Nabil Esmail

Dr. Esmail is a professor in the Department of Chemical Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan, where he was departmental Chair from 1982-1994. He is a mechanical engineer by education. Dr. Esmail has chaired major university-wide financial and academic planning committees. He is Chair of the Editorial Board of the Canadian Journal of Chemical Engineering, and of the NSERC Chemical and Metallurgical Engineering Grants Selection Committee. Dr. Esmail is a Fellow of the Chemical Institute of Canada. His research interests are in fluid dynamics and rheology. He holds an MSc in Mechanical Engineering and a PhD in Applied Mathematics from Moscow State University.

J. Charles Giguère

Dr. Giguère was appointed Chair of Concordia's Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering in 1995, after having served as Acting Chair in 1992-1993. He has been an Associate Professor in the Department since 1971. Dr. Giguère served as Assistant Dean of the Faculty from 1973-1982, and as Associate Dean from 1982-1985. He was appointed to a five-year term as Vice-Rector, Services in 1986, during which he introduced the Management Information System and managed a major space planning initiative. Dr. Giguère was founding Director-General of the Centre de Recherche Informatique de Montréal (CRIM) from 1983 until 1987, where he is still active. He holds a PhD from the Technical University of Nova Scotia.

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Suong Hoa

In 1994, Dr. Hoa was appointed Chair of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Concordia University, where he has taught since 1977. As Chair, Dr. Hoa was responsible for the development of the Industrial Engineering programme, which was successfully accredited in 1995. From 1993 to the present, he has also been Director of the Concordia Centre for Composites. Dr. Hoa established the Canadian Association for Composite Structures and Materials in 1986-88, where he is still active, and has contributed to the development of codes and standards for industrial uses of fibre reinforced plastics. Dr. Hoa holds a PhD in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Toronto.

The committee invites feedback from the community, in the manner prescribed by the policy governing search committees. Written comments concerning the candidates will be accepted for consideration by the Advisory Search Committee, from any member of the University community. These should be addressed to Amely Jurgenziemk, Secretary of the Advisory Search Committee for a Dean of the Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science, Office of the Secretary-General, BC-124. Comments may also be sent via e-mail (amelyj@vax2) or fax (848-8655). Submissions will not be accepted after 5:00 p.m., Thursday, 12 December 1996.